ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದರಾಜು.—ಜಾಗ್ರತೆ ಮುಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡಿ ಕೆರೆಯ ಕೆಲಸಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಡಿದಾಳ್ ಮಂಜಪ್ಪ.—ಅದಪ್ಪು ಜಾಗ್ರತೆ ತೀರ್ಮಾನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದರಾಜು.—ನಮ್ಮ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಜಾಸ್ತಿ ಕೆರೆಗಳಿಲ್ಲವಾದುದರಿಂದ ಜಾಗ್ರತೆ ಮಾಡಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಡಿದಾಳ್ ಮಂಜಪ್ಪ.—ಈಗ ಅನೇಕ ಕೆರೆಗಳ ಕೆಲಸಗಳು ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದರಾಜು.—ಅಂದಾಜಾಗಿರುವ ಈ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಕೆರೆಗಳನ್ನು ಮುಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಡಿದಾಳ್ ಮಂಜಪ್ಪ.—ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Strikes and Settlement of Disputes.

Q.—80. Sri B. MADHAVACHAR (Bhadravati).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of strike notices issued during 1953 and 1954 by the various Labour Associations in the State under the Industrial Disputes Act ;

(*b*) Actual strikes effected ;

(*c*) the nature of settlement arrived at in each dispute when strike notices were issued ;

(*d*) whether they have thought of convening a Tripartite Conference consisting of representative of State, Employer and Employees ?

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(*a*) Ten.

	1953.	*1954.*
1 Kolar Division	...	...
2 Mysore Division	2	1
3 Bangalore Division	...	2
4 Shimoga Division	2	1
5 Plantation Division	...	2
	4	6

(*b*) Eleven.

(*c*) Please see Annexure appended below.

(*d*) The question is under examination.

Sub-question (*c*)—The nature of settlement arrived at in each dispute when strike notices were issued.

Mysore Division.—

1. Mysore City Municipal workers (March 1953)—The strike did not materialise.
2. Vani Vilas Water Works Employees' Association (October 1953)—The matter was settled through an agreement before the Conciliation Officer, Mysore.
3. Mysore Beedi Mazdoor Association (August 1954)—The strike which commenced on 26th August 1954, was called off on 4th September 1954 as a result of pursuation of the Conciliation Officer, Mysore.

Bangalore Division.—

4. Shivaram Devarao Ubhayakar, Ltd.—No settlement has so far been arrived at.
5. Government Electric Department Employees' Strike :—The strike was called off on 14th January 1955 on the assurance of Government to appoint a Committee to go into this question.

Shimoga Division.—

6 to 8. Three notices of strike were issued by the Mysore Iron & Steel Works' Labour Association, Bhadravati—None of the three strikes were materialised. The first notice of strike dated 10th February 1953 containing 16 demands ended in partial settlement on 27th February 1953 before the Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Bhadravati and the remaining demands which resulted in a further strike notice dated 3rd July 1953, were finally settled by the Chief Conciliation Officer through an Industrial Truce, dated 3rd September 1953,

whereby the workers agreed not to place any further demands for a period of 3 years from the date of the said truce.

The third notice of strike dated 28th April 1954, placing 8 fresh demands was not conciliated and the Association was appraised of the breach of term (1) of the above Industrial Truce entered into by them. Hence the Association did not press the demands.

Plantation Division—

9. The Motor Employees' Union, Chikmagalur (July 1954)—The dispute was settled by application of the provisions of the Factories Act.

10. The Municipal Scavengers and Sweepers of Chikmagalur Municipality.—The strike did not materialise. The Municipal authorities resolved to give "Cumbly bonus" on account of severe cold and wind and promised to consider the other demands.

Sri B. MADHAVACHAR.—May I know the manpower, the production and the money value of the production so lost due to these strikes in the State ?

***Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.**—Notice, Sir.

Sri B. MADHAVACHAR.—May I know at least the main point of dispute that has resulted in these strikes in all these cases ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I will give you. In Mysore Division, three notices of strikes were issued in 1953 and 1954. One was by the Mysore City Municipal Workers in March 1953, which did not materialise. That related to wages. The second one was by the Vani Vilas Water Works Employees' Association in October 1953. It was also regarding some request. The matter was settled through an agreement before the Conciliation Officer, Mysore and hence the strike did not materialise. The third one was by the Mysore Beedi Mazdoor Association, Mysore, in August 1954. This Association issued notices of demands to four Beedi Proprietors requesting to ratify their demands within 24 hours stating that they would go on strike if the demands were not conceded within that period. As a result of persuation of the Conciliation Officer, Mysore, even this strike did not materialise. In Bangalore Division, two notices of strike were issued during 1954—one by the workers in Shivaram Devarao Ubhayankar, Ltd., Bangalore. It is still under conciliation. It is regarding the discharge of workers. The other was by the workers in the Government Electrical Department. The workers abstained from work since the morning of 27th December 1954 and the strike was called off on 14th January 1955 on the assurance of the Government to appoint a committee for enquiring into the grievances. The Government formed a committee with the following personnel to go into the question.—(1) Sri M. S. Swaminathan, (2) Sri N. D. M. Appa and (3) Sri K. Kannan.

In Bangalore Division, the number is about 7 or so. If the Hon'ble Member wants, I will place the statement on the Table. It is a long list. In Plantation Division, The Motor Employees' Union, Chikmagalur had issued a notice on 11th July 1954 regarding the grant of rest leave facilities to drivers and conductors of the C. P. Company. The strike did not materialise. There was a lightning strike in the Arebidcool Estate, Chikmagalur from 1st October 1954 to 5th October 1954 for 5 days as a result of dismissal of a worker Mulla. Eighty workers out of 82 resumed work on 5th October 1954 unconditionally, two workers being retrenched. The Municipal scavengers and sweepers of Chikmagalur Municipality filed a complaint on 21st December 1954, placing 16 demands. But the strike did not materialise.

Sri B. MADHAVACHAR.—Will the Government consider the desirability of

* Indicates that the remarks or speeches have not been revised by the Member concerned.

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appointing Wage Boards to decide these wage structures in almost all the major industries ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—It depends upon both the Management as well as the Unions. If both of them agree, then we will consider.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—What is the dispute regarding Shivaram Devarao Ubhayankar, Ltd. ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—It is said that on account of losses, they retrenched, but, subsequently they had recruited some other people also. The Union is saying that, in view of the fact that they have taken workers again later on, they should have taken those that have been retrenched.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—Is it not a fact that in order to avoid the workers working there, the concern was shifted from Civil Station to Chamarajpet ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I do not think that is the reason.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—How long have they been on strike ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—For the past one year and over. It is not actually a strike. The demand is put up and some have been taken back and some have not been taken back.

State-owned Industries.

Q.—101. **Sri D. VENKATESH** (Gandhinagar Constituency).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of State-owned industries and private industries which have submitted the draft standing orders as required under Section 3 of the Employment Standing Orders Act;

(*b*) the number of them which have not yet submitted such draft standing orders ;

(*c*) the number of draft standing orders which are yet pending before the Certifying Officer (i) the names of the parties and (ii) the corresponding dates of receipt of such draft standing orders be given ?

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(*a*)	State-owned		4
	Private		40
(*b*)	State-owned		Nil
	Private		40

(*c*) Details as per Statement appended below.

List of concerns whose draft standing orders are under process of certification.

Sl. No.	*Name of concern*	*Date of filing.*
	Messrs.—	
1	K. H. Shama Rao & Sons, Bangalore	16-10—52
2	The Mysore Match Co., Ltd., Shimoga	17-11—52
3	The Kapila Textile Mills, Ltd., Nanjangud ...	4—5—53
4	The Cauvery Valley Paper Mills, Nanjangud ...	3—8—53
5	The Bangalore Woollen, Cotton & Silk Mills, Ltd., Bangalore.	26—8—53
6	The Central Karnataka Motor Services, Ltd., Shimoga ...	4-11—53
7	Mysore Beedi Manufacturers' Association, Mysore ...	11-12—53
8	The Mysore Planters' Association, Soondhully ...	29—1—54
9	The Bangalore Transport Co., Ltd., Bangalore ...	30—1—54
10	The Mysore Kirloskar Co., Ltd., Harihar	24—2—54
11	Parade Stores & Cafe, Bangalore-1	24—2—54
12	Sudes & Leatherettes, Ltd., Bangalore	17—3—54
13	United Breweries, Ltd., Bangalore	19—3—54
14	The Mysore Electrical Industries, Ltd., Bangalore ...	22—3—54
15	The Davangere Cotton Mills, Ltd., Davangere ..	23—3—54
16	M. Anantharamiah Woollen & Cotton Works, Bangalore ...	23—3—54